



## CARROLL COUNTY CHAPTER Maryland Municipal League, Inc.



### **2014 Scholarship Program**

The Carroll County chapter of the Maryland Municipal League will offer three \$1,000 scholarships to Carroll County high school students who have been accepted into a college or university or, Carroll students currently enrolled in a college or university in a graduate or undergraduate program. Preference will be given to students preparing for a career in governmental or public service.

Applicants must (1) meet the above criteria, (2) live in one of the eight incorporated municipalities in Carroll County, (3) complete the Student Scholarship Application, (4) prepare a written essay on the specified topic, and (5) have a municipal official/representative certify they reside within the incorporated limits of the municipality.

The Application is currently available by e mail request:

➤ **dafoster1@comcast.net**

or at your high school guidance office, or through your town office.

The application must be the 2014 application form and must be received at the address below by 4 p.m. on **Friday, May 2, 2014**. Applications may also be dropped off at the Taneytown Town Office during business hours or in the payment drop slot on or before May 2, 2014.

Please mail completed application to:

**Diane Foster**  
**MML Scholarship Chairperson**  
**1101 E. Baltimore Street**  
**Taneytown, MD 21787**

Question should be directed to Diane Foster, 443-956-2964 or  
[dafoster1@comcast.net](mailto:dafoster1@comcast.net)



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### **2014 Scholarship Program - Student Scholarship Criteria**

#### **Student Eligibility**

- ☐ Applicant must be a resident of one of the eight incorporated municipalities in Carroll County. These municipalities are Hampstead, Sykesville, Union Bridge, Westminster, Mt. Airy, New Windsor, Taneytown, and Manchester. A municipal official or the clerk/treasurer from your town office must fill out and sign the municipal residence section of the application.
- ☐ Applicant must have acceptance into or, current enrollment in, a college or university in a graduate or undergraduate program intended to prepare students for a career in governmental or public service.
- ☐ Applicant must have good scholastic standing. (please attach transcript from school you are attending at this time – either High School or College)

#### **Selection Criteria**

- ☐ Demonstrated commitment to public service, e.g., past or current involvement with civic organizations
- ☐ Appropriateness of current educational program for local governmental or public service
- ☐ Applicant's statement of educational objectives and career goals
- ☐ Faculty letters of recommendation
- ☐ Completion of the scholarship application attached
- ☐ Essay - Municipal Government In Your Town
  1. Identify the challenges faced by **your** Mayor and Council.
  2. Select one or more of these challenges and explain how you would address the challenge if **you** were the Mayor or a Councilmember
  3. Explain how **you** would disseminate **your decision** to address the challenge(s) to the citizens of **your municipality**.



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1. Name in full: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Present address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail \_\_\_\_\_
4. Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ U.S Citizen? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Name of the educational institution at which you wish to pursue your scholarship: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Toward what degree will you be working, and when will you graduate?  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. Proposed field or specialization of study: \_\_\_\_\_



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8. List the high school and/or colleges and universities attended if applicable, including the one in which you are currently enrolled or will enroll. Arrange in sequence, listing the current institution first. (Submit official transcripts for each. )

College or University And State	Expected Date of degree	Major of field

9. Have you ever received academic honors or awards for scholastic achievement (include high school, undergraduate and graduate studies)?

No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, list: \_\_\_\_\_

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10. Please explain any interruption of schooling.

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11. Please list your involvement with civic organizations. Attach separate sheet if necessary.

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12. Name and title of your Faculty Adviser:\_\_\_\_\_

Institution:\_\_\_\_\_ Phone\_\_\_\_\_

13. Each applicant must provide a statement as to educational objectives and career goals. A statement as to why the award is merited and how the award is to be used would also be helpful.

14. Each applicant must submit an essay on the Challenges faced by Municipal Government. The student should conduct specific research and relate this essay to the municipality in which the student resides.

***I certify that the information given in this application is true and accurate.***

Signature of Applicant\_\_\_\_\_Date\_\_\_\_\_



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**MUNICIPAL RESIDENCE CERTIFICATION**

This is to certify that the following Carroll County MML Scholarship  
applicant:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed name of applicant

Resides at the following address:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, Zip Code

Which is within the incorporated town limits of the following town:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed name of town

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Municipal Official/Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed name of Municipal Official/Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date